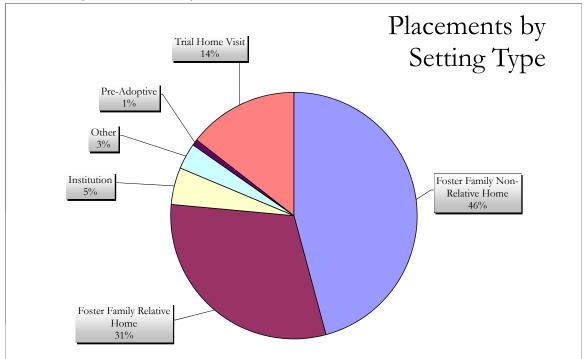
Statistical Information Out of Home Placement

## All Children in Alaska OCS Out-of-home placement on September 1, 2010, by Gender and Placement Setting.

	September 30, 2010		
Placement Setting	Male	Female	Total
Foster Family Non-Relative Home	447	411	858
Foster Family Relative Home	273	301	574
Institution	41	50	91
Other	31	33	64
Pre-Adoptive	6	9	15
Trial Home Visit	130	141	271
Total	928	945	1,873

Data Source: ORCA. Program used to tabulate statistics: monthly\_ooh\_web.sas.

Out-of-home placement is the last option considered when reasonable efforts to protect a child in his or her own home have been exhausted by OCS. The first preference considered in all out-of-home placements for a child or youth is a relative's home. When it is not possible to place a child with a relative it is necessary to place the child in a licensed foster home. Residential care facilities may offer short-term emergency shelter as well as more long-term residential treatment. A single child may experience more than one setting type in a given month.



Data in this report is as of October 11, 2010. Subsequent reports with the same date parameter will contain up-dated statistics.

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